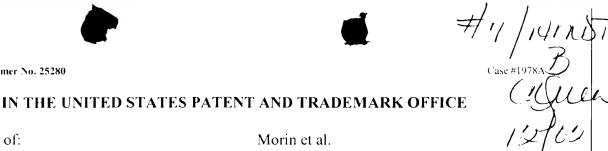
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Response to Office Action and Amendment A

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Sir:

In response to the June 4, 2002 Patent and Trademark Office action, Applicants submit the following amendments, remarks and Petition and Fee for Extension of Time.

In the Claims

Please cancel Claims 1-9, without prejudice, as being drawn to a non-elect invention.

Please amend Claims 19-21 and 23 as indicated in Appendix A and Appendix B.

Please add Claims 26-36 (Appendix A and Appendix B).

In the Specification

In the Title of the Invention, please substitute "Low Contaminant Wiper" for "Method of Manufacturing Low Contaminant Wiper".

Remarks

Restriction under 35 USC § 121

Restriction of the invention to Group I (Claims 1-9 drawn to a method of use) or Group II (Claims 17-25 drawn to an article) was required.